BILL NO. R-79-11-59

RESOLUTION NO. R- 05-80

A RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING STUDY OF REMOVAL OF LIME SLUDGE AND SILT BUILD UP ADJACENT TO THE FILTRATION PLANT AND NEAR THE CONFLUENCE OF ST. MARY'S AND MAUMEE RIVER.

WHEREAS, there exist large deposits of lime sludge, and silt build up in the river beds at and near the Fort Wayne Filtration Plant and at the confluence of the St. Mary's River with the Maumee River in the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana; and,

WHEREAS, Sand Bag Coalition, a group of citizens of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana has proposed removal of said lime sludge and silt build up at and near the confluence of the said rivers in order to reduce flooding by deepening said rivers and increasing the amount and rapidity of flow of water; and,

WHEREAS, others contend that dredging the rivers is only one factor in the continuing flood control controversy, said other claimed factors being the expansion of dikes along the rivers and development of a river bank park system along the waterways to reduce the flooding; and,

WHEREAS, "it appears that at least dredging the rivers and removing therefrom lime and other sludge at the Fort/Wayne Filtration Plant and near the confluence of the St. Mary's River with the Maumee River merits consideration.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE:

That immediate steps be taken to commence a study of the dredging of the lime sludge and other sludge from said St. Mary's River at least from the Spy Run Avenue Bridge east to the confluence of said St. Mary's river with the Maumee river and that

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said study project be undertaken with all due speed when the level of the river has been lowered so that if said dredging is done same shall be accomplished while the water level is low.

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Approved as to form and legality this 26th day of November, 1979.

John H. Logan, Artorney for Common Council

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